

TIS THE DAY WE VOTE.

THE LEGALIZED PRIMARY ELECTION TAKES PLACE TO-DAY.

All Democrats Should Go to the Polls and Cast Their Ballots—Much Enthusiasm is Being Shown.

The primary election for the nomination of candidates for the city's general offices, Board of Aldermen, members of the Common Council and members of the City Democratic Committee takes place to-day under the rules of the City Democratic Committee, legalized by an act of the last Legislature of Virginia, and the penalties for the violation of any of its provisions make the offender liable to heavy penalties of both fine and imprisonment.

A large vote will be polled, and the number cast will probably be greater than in any previous election. The contests for at least two of the principal offices are generally acknowledged to be very close, and the result will be very interesting.

A double set of judges and clerks have been provided at all of the large precincts, and ample arrangements have been made for canvassing the vote by the committee at Sanger Hall, and while the vote will be uncommonly large, it is expected that the result will be known at an earlier hour than usual.

THE CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS.

Headquarters City Democratic Committee, 1219 east Main street, Richmond, Va., April 25, 1904.

To the Democratic Voters of the City of Richmond:

It is the duty of all Democrats to go to the polls on the 26th and cast their votes for the persons of their choice for the several offices to be filled at the regular election to be held on May 24, 1904. That election will simply ratify the primary election of the Democratic primary. The Democratic party is the dominant one in Richmond, and the representatives of its 35,000 voters will be selected at the primary.

The will of the people as expressed at the polls is the supreme law. This must be respected. The right to vote is not a natural right, but is a privilege granted by the State to individuals. Fraud and cunning are not the characteristics of high nature and great power. The party primary is the fountainhead of representative government, and impurity there will pollute the whole election. By an act of the last General Assembly of Virginia, approved February 22, 1894, the rules governing the primary election in the city of Richmond as promulgated by the Executive Committee of the party were legalized.

All of the requirements of the law have been strictly complied with, and persons who willfully violate them will be dealt with as ordinary criminals under the State law. The amplest provisions have been made for the preservation of the sanctity of the ballot, and no one need fear that his vote will be tampered with or the freedom of his choice disturbed.

The vote of this city is watched all over the State, and all Democrats are most earnestly urged to participate in the primary so as to swell our party majority.

The polls open at 6 A. M. and close at 7 P. M. Each individual voter should aid in the preservation of order. All can vote with the assurance that the persons receiving the largest number of votes will be declared the nominees of the Democratic party. These nominees will govern the city for the next two years.

Very respectfully,
E. S. P. PATTERSON,
Chairman.

VOTING PLACES.
The following are the voting places as established in the city ordinance recently adopted by the City Council:

CLAY WARD.
First Precinct, No. 124 west Main.
Second Precinct, No. 70 west Broad.
Third Precinct, No. 128 west Broad.
Fourth Precinct, No. 529 south Pine.
Fifth Precinct, corner Reservoir and Cary streets.

JACKSON WARD.
First Precinct, No. 723 Brook avenue.
Second Precinct, No. 3 west Duval street.
Third Precinct, No. 235 east Duval street.
Fourth Precinct, No. 609 north Seventeenth street.

JEFFERSON WARD.
First Precinct, No. 135 east Franklin street.
Second Precinct, Old Market Hall.
Third Precinct, No. 212 east Main street.
Fourth Precinct, No. 615 north Twenty-first street.

MADISON WARD.
First Precinct, No. 409 north Seventh street.
Second Precinct, No. 518 east Broad street.
Third Precinct, No. 13 north Seventh street.
Fourth Precinct, No. 618 east Cary street.

MONROE WARD.
First Precinct, No. 4 south First street.
Second Precinct, No. 212 north Second street.
Third Precinct, No. 8 west Broad street.
Fourth Precinct, No. 495 north Third street.
Fifth Precinct, No. 206 east Canal street.

MARSHALL WARD.
First Precinct, No. 329 Lester street.
Second Precinct, No. 232 east Broad street.
Third Precinct, Masonic Hall, north Twenty-fifth street.

ELECTION SUPERVISORS.
The City Democratic Committee, in order that the counting of the ballots might be beyond criticism, adopted the plan of requesting six representative citizens to supervise the counting of the ballot.

They will enter the polls immediately at the time of closing, and stay until the returns are ready to go to the committee.

The gentlemen selected have, as a rule, consented to serve, and the complete list is as follows:

JACKSON WARD.
First Precinct—John W. Sharp, J. E. Gates, A. Dietz, Charles T. Harlow, F. W. France, and J. McGovern.
Second Precinct—C. R. Wingfield, Owen Marion, W. J. Smith, M. Doherty, and Robt. J. Holzback.

Third Precinct—J. R. Sheppard, Louis Buff, P. J. Wheeler, Walter Blackburn, G. Gasser, Henry Marshall, and I. W. Tomlinson.
Fourth Precinct—W. D. Harton, W. E. Moran, Henry Monday, W. H. Tyree, P. J. Ryan, and P. H. Donahoe.

MONROE WARD.
First Precinct—Dr. D. W. Moseley, W. M. Evans, F. J. Glasgow, Thomas Dolan, L. D. Cronshaw, and Peyton Grymes.
Second Precinct—E. T. Crump, W. S. Worsham, Dr. Benjamin Harrison, Julian Blinford, Jackson Guy, E. A. Catlin, and Williamson Talley.

Third Precinct—L. Levy, Sol. Eise-wanger, J. W. Lauder, Reuben Burton, Thomas Whitte, and Lee Straus.
Fourth Precinct—Isidore Lovenstein, Edward Burruss, Elias Hauff, J. E. Spindle, H. C. Brown, and R. T. Wilkinson.

Fifth Precinct—H. M. Boykin, J. S. L. Owen, J. A. Healy, T. M. Perkins, C. E. Wingo, and R. H. Mosby.

JEFFERSON WARD.
First Precinct—Rev. T. Crump, H. L. Cabell, J. Lichtenstein, J. L. Greenwald, J. L. Ezekiel, and L. T. Christian.
Second Precinct—H. H. Hershberg, Louis Frischkorn, R. P. Cooke, C. Manning, Jr., A. B. Wharton, and D. P. Powell.

Third Precinct—Henry G. Crenshaw, Albert S. Mayo, W. T. Hancock, W. W. Grasswith, James White, and W. J. Davis.
Fourth Precinct—M. J. Mussen, A. J.

Duesbery, M. R. Jude, J. G. McDowell, T. W. Joseph, and B. F. Wright.

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Norfolk, and Judge J. Frank East accompanied the party.

The delegation will wait on the Governor at 11 o'clock to-day to ask him to instruct Captain Huggins and his fleet to watch the Mahanah fishermen and prevent them from violating the laws by the destruction of food fish in Virginia waters.

A Norfolk paper says: "These people fish from steamers with what are known as purse nets, and the cargoes are taken to Cape Charles, on the coast, we believe, and to Warren Island, on New York bay, where the catch is manufactured into fertilizer."

These people own a very large amount of the trucking interests of their section, and use immense quantities of fertilizer.

In charge of Mr. W. A. Cobb they will to-day visit Tinsley's fertilizing establishment to see what arrangements they can make as to the guano to be used by them.

Among those in the party were: Messrs. W. C. Cobb, J. P. Miller, B. F. Buckus, L. W. Lambert, Henry Holland, W. J. Backus, C. J. Miller, W. L. Simpson, L. J. Pritchett, W. J. Wright, W. C. L. Williamson, J. S. Cooper, R. E. Smith, P. A. Harbuck, B. E. Simpson, A. L. Stevens, J. P. Ross, W. B. Pritzell, E. D. Gay, J. H. Whitburn, J. B. Ferratt, W. B. Dals, R. W. Seely, Y. L. Backus, W. B. East.

FROM THE CITY HALL.
A full day in Municipal Affairs on the Eve of the Primary.

The new chemical engine for Richmond arrived yesterday morning, and was carried to the quarters lately vacated by the Water Department. It will be in charge of Capt. I. Hershberg, and will be tested next Monday afternoon. The apparatus is No. 1, and Capt. Hershberg will have three assistants.

BEFORE THE RESOLUTION.
President Joseph C. Dickerson, of the Board of Aldermen who is acting Mayor in the absence of Mayor Elyson, has signed the resolution which provides for the filling in of Eighth-street tunnel.

ARRANGING FOR THE BAZAAR.
Another meeting of the ladies who have interested themselves in the coming remedial bazaar was held in the reception room of the Mayor's office in the City Hall yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Charles T. Ferrall was present only for a short time, and Mrs. Kay Drewey presided. Besides the ladies who have consented to act as chairmen of the various tables, a number of others were present who have agreed to assist in the tables. The whole matter was thoroughly discussed, and it was finally decided to hold another meeting next Wednesday at the same hour and place.

CIVIC COURT.
Judge Wellford, of the Circuit Court, yesterday granted a charter to the "Metropolitan Bank of Richmond." This bank will absorb the Atlantic States Bankers Savings Bank. The capital stock of the bank is to be not less than \$100,000 nor more than \$500,000, divided into shares of \$5 each.

The officers for the first year are: N. W. Newbold, president; Thomas N. Carter, vice-president. The Board of Directors are the above and P. H. Mayo, James N. Boyd, Lewis Clinton, John Pope, H. L. Cabell, Charles Loch, I. H. Cartwright, C. C. C. Cabell, Whitlock, F. S. Valentine, Robert S. Boshier, J. B. Pace, Jackson Brandt, F. R. Scott and Thomas Atkinson.

CHANCERY COURT.
Judge Lamb notified the bar yesterday that the Chancery Court will be adjourned for the term on Thursday, May 15th, and that all contested cases must be submitted on or before Saturday, May 15th.

LAW AND EQUITY COURT.
Wallace F. Brown was yesterday admitted to practice in the Law and Equity Court.

In the case of Mrs. E. W. Barksdale against E. T. Horner, a jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

The following new suits were instituted yesterday: J. T. Russell, Jr., against W. B. Waldron; damages, \$250.
Willoughby Newcomb, Jr., trustee for W. T. Beveridge, Jr., against the Home Building Company; damages, \$50.
Merchants and Farmers Peanut Company against J. T. Montgomery; damages, \$75.

MARRIAGE COURT.
The clerk of the Hustings Court yesterday issued the following marriage licenses: Silas S. Dann and Alice Whitney; Herbert Rutherford Matthews and Jane Gabelia Blair.

HOLLYWOOD ASSOCIATION.
A called meeting of the Hollywood Memorial Association was held in the lecture-room of the Second Presbyterian church at 5 o'clock yesterday evening. Mrs. William R. Isaacs presided. Mrs. Bryn being detained at home by sickness.

It was decided to have the reinterment of the two soldiers who were killed at Yellow Tavern and buried there on Friday May 14th, at 4 P. M., at the Soldiers' Home, instead of the 12th, as before published.

A letter was read from the ladies of Oakwood Association, inviting the ladies of the Hollywood Memorial Association to be present with them on May 19th, their Memorial day.

Messdames Isaacs, Werth, Elyson, Rogers, Hoge and Miss Bowman were elected to represent the association.

An annual meeting of the association will take place May 24, at 12 o'clock, in the lecture-room of the Second Presbyterian church. A full attendance is requested.

The annual mass-meeting of this association will be held at the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association on Thursday night at 8:30 o'clock, May 2d. Rev. Mr. Young of Park-Place Methodist church, has kindly consented to make the address. The Blues Band will furnish the music, and Captain Cunningham will sing.

DEATH OF MR. MAYO.
The Only Brother of Mr. P. H. Mayo Dies Suddenly.

Mr. Fitzhugh Mayo, the only living brother of Mr. P. H. Mayo, of this city, died yesterday evening about 5 o'clock, while on the train en route from Norfolk to this city.

Mr. Mayo and his brother had been to Norfolk to spend the day; they were returning, and the train had just left Suffolk, when Mr. Fitzhugh Mayo was suddenly taken ill and died in a short time. Apoplexy was the cause of his death.

The body was taken to this city and taken to Mr. P. H. Mayo's residence.

The deceased is a resident of New York, where he was engaged in the tobacco business. He has a wife and a son. He leaves one child. He was sixty-six years old.

An Electric Club.
Last night there was a meeting of the charter members of the Richmond Electric Club, held at the residence of Mr. George A. Tower, 129 south First street. A constitution and by-laws were proposed and adopted, and the following officers elected: George A. Tower, president; T. B. Martin, vice-president; Harrison Tabb, secretary; F. J. Craigie, Jr., treasurer. An executive committee was appointed as follows: Mr. W. W. Richmond College and the Baptist Seminary, at Louisville, Ky. Since then he had preached in Botetourt county from where a call had been extended to him.

Dr. Ryland next read passages from chapters three and four of the First Epistle of St. Peter, and then, in a close of the reading the candidate knelt down, surrounded by the Presbytery, while the congregation remained standing, and Dr. Ryland offered the prayer of ordination. The Presbytery then laid hands upon him.

Rev. Mr. Wright presented the candidate with a Bible, the gift of the deacons of the church. He admonished the young minister to study the Bible during his life.

Rev. Dr. Willingham delivered the charge to the candidate.

Dr. Pollard made an address to the congregation. He said the great need of the world to-day was a larger number of ministers in the word of God. He mentioned as some of the qualifications which a true minister should have, that he should possess the right idea of his work; secondly, he should possess the religious and, thirdly, he should be the patron of all educational and religious movements.

The exercises were brought to a close by Dr. Hatcher with giving the right hand of fellowship to the candidate. The Presbytery, the deacons, and the members of the congregation then stopped forward to express their congratulations to the newly-ordained minister and his parents.

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